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Thinking Out Loud

H. M. L.

The stuff of which the universe is made does not change except in form. All the various geological terms applying to earth strata refer essentially to varying mixtures of the same components. And human nature, the world around, is basically the same. All react the same in varying degrees to hunger, heat or cold, the urge to mate, and to spiritual promptings in greater or less degree. The influence of economic pressure and resultant social upheavals, the ebb and flow of political theory and practice, alter the course of history but do not alter basic human nature.

The spiritual promptings, the aspirations of human kind are the important things. Human intelligence fixes its gaze upon the far goal of the perfect life. Every religion, worthy the name, holds up this standard unattainable, yet bit by bit, over the centuries it is being approached. How is this being accomplished?

Religions generally hold out the hope of immortal life, at least for the spirit. Science working in a workaday world, step by step, prolongs the mortal life. In the life time of hundreds of thousands living today, the average length of life in the United States has been extended ten or more years. This is a real and modern day miracle. The gain has been mainly in reducing infant mortality, but huge strides have been taken in prolonging the lives of the elderly. It seems logical if immortality of the spirit is the goal of the human race, the first step should be the care and preservation of the mortal habitation of the spirit.

These are reactions to a perusal of the Rockefeller Foundation Review for 1936, written by Raymond B. Fosdick. It is satisfying to read this treatise, recording the progress of a world wide battle against human ills, in the midst of social flux and disorder. In this calm realm of science, intelligence and energy of a large army of research workers, physicians, physicists, surgeons, psychiatrists, biologists, archeologists and teachers in all departments of learning, is striving to eliminate or control disease, to break down the barriers of ignorance which stands between the peoples of the East and West, and between neighboring nations the world over. For the Rockefeller Foundation not only fights disease but it directs its research to the question of "protection against main hazards that confronts the individual, such as sickness, accident, old age dependency, unemployment and war."

The world is the Foundation's field. It knows no national boundaries, it knows no racial prejudices. In 1936 it gave away $11,300,000 in connection with a program which reached from Scandinavia to Java. Each year huge sums are expended to further its purpose, which, simply stated is "to promote the well being of mankind throughout the world.' To appreciate even a little how strenuous and how dramatic is this war on the world's ills, one must read "An American Doctor's Odyssey" by one of the men, who leads in this farflung battle against disease and its prime coadjutor, ignorance. One instance illustrates the character of that fight.

The city of Manila discharges its sewage through a long, huge pipe into deep water in the Bay of Manila. This conduit burst, and the fluid sewage escaped to the surface forming a kind of fountain not far from the shore in the salt water. A fisherman discovered this sewage spring, tasted the water, found it sweet, and the news spread through Manila. All manner of boats visited the spot loaded with jars and cans with which to carry the water home. A priest unknowing its origin blessed the water and this accordingly created an immense vogue for it. Almost immediately a terrific epidemic broke out in the poorer section of Manila. Dr. Heiser, author of the "Odyssey", appealed to the then Governor of the Phillippines to put a stop to this "miracle". The governor, hesitating to act in a matter that had such a popular following, and was so involved in the religious life of thousands, hemmed and hawed. Dr. Heiser declared unless it was done he would place the entire responsibility for the deadly epidemic on the or then acted. The sewage leak was gubernatorial shoulder. The governmended, and the miracle abolished. Undoubtedly thousands in Manila today owe their lives to this resolute act of Dr. Heiser.

Thus on every front where disease and ignorance couple to breed death or war, the Rockefeller Foundations sends its trained generals in science, to thwart, to outwit, and finally, it is hoped, to defeat forever the Four Horsemen. Science proves itself the ally of all enlightened religion. Its miracles are real and far more wonderful than anything done by the prophets and seers of old. It is developing a world intelligence that some time may really build a millenium.

Homecraft Institute To Open Here in May

The Nevada City Nugget and Pacific Rural Press will again put on a three day Homefraft Institute this year. The dates will be on the afternoons of May 19, 20 and 21 and the meetings will be held in the Nevada Theatre as they were last year.

Jane Barton in charge of the big institute which includes a cooking school and other home crafts of several kinds, announces that this year the program will feature things Californian. California flowers will be used to a greater extent than ever before and the public is advised that Miss Barton will be especially grateful to those who bring flowers for display and other uses at the afternoon meetings. At intermission time there will be, according to present plans, a snappy program given by specially talented amateurs.

Clubs, schools and organizations of women generally are specially invited to attend. Last year the theatre was thronged with interested women many of them coming from Grass Valley and from as far away as Rough and Ready and North San Juan. The program this year will be enriched both as regards entertainment features and educational demonstrations. The usual long list of prizes will be distributed to those who are there.

FOREST SERVICE TITLE TO BLDG. SITE CLEARED

In the last few weeks the title to the Native Daughters Park east of the Alpha Hardware Store in Nevada City has been approved and is now invested with the Tahoe National Forest Service.

C. M. Gwin, administrative assistant, stated this forenoon the forest service is now endeavoring to get an appropriation for the new forest service building which will contain offices for each division of the service. This morning a crew of CCC boys cleaned the park of old leaves, and shrub limbs, broken by snow.

HYDRAULIC MINERS TO ELECT OFFICERS

The California Hydraulic Association held a meeting at Colfax Saturday. In reports given at the meeting it was indicated that all major difficulties in the matter of assurances had been cleared up with the exception of Omega mines. However ample yardage exists exclusive of the Omega property, therefore the association adopted resolutions approving a reported intent on the part of the commission to file the available assurances immediately.

An active committee is endeavoring to reach an understanding in the matter of the Dog Bar project as much depends upon the attitude of the corporations holding key positions on the Greenhorn water shed.

It was pointed out that ample gravel yardage exists in the Dutch Flat region but that water conditions are less favorable than with other of the units. The association expressed determination to press for consummation of the Dog Bar project, although admitting that the undertaking was a particularly difficult one.

A resolution was passed urging the defeat of a bill now in the legislature providing for the removal of the State Bureau of Mines from San Francisco to Sacramento.

Election of officers of the association will be held at a meeting in Grass Valley on Saturday, May 8. Ballots bearing the names of nominees, George W. Hallock of Alleghany and H. A. Turner of Colfax for president; Miss Genevieve Harvey of Galt and Mrs. W. C. Milton of Alta for secretary, and nominees for a board of directors will be mailed to all members in the interval.

JAMES NELSON PASSES

James Nelson, who resided near the old Oustomah mine in northwestern part of Nevada City, passed away at the county hospital Sunday morning. At time of going to press arrangements were not completed for funeral services.

HOBART MILLS CLOSING DEPOPULATES TOWN

The huge box factory at Hobart Mills in operation for nearly 40 years, closed permanently last week, marking another step in the abandonment of the small mill town, eight miles north of Truckee.

The twenty five employes the last of a recent larger crew, were laid off.

The Hobart Estate Company, the owner, closed the lumber mill last fall as the lumbering had become depleted.

Many of the 500 people in the town are leaving daily for new locations, principally in California and Oregon lumber communities.

T. K. Oliver, one of the managers of the concern, said that by midsummer the town virtually will be deserted.

GERTRUDE SCHREIBER PLEDGED TO SORORITY

Gertrude Schreiber, graduate of Nevada City high school in 1936, was one of a group of seventeen outstanding women pledged to Phi Lambda Chi, social sorority for Protestant women at San Francisco State College.

The sorority held its traditional pledging ceremony recently, preceded by initiation activities on the campus. The organization is very active in the social life of the college and has a large membership.

CHARGED WITH BATTERY AND DISTURBING PEACE

W. B. Morris, will be tried on a battery charge preferred by Christian E. Thorbo of North Bloomfield in the justice court before Miles D. Coughlin tomorrow. He will also be tried on a charge of disturbing the peace in a case preferred by Louis Woods of North San Juan. The following have been drawn for jury duty: Eugene Tucker, Doris M. Hardt, Cameron Larsen, Alfred H. Haddy, Daniel Ungaro, Minerva Wright, Virgil J. Giani, Fred Tredinnick, S. Lee Leiter, Eleanor Bolton, Frederick E. Conner, Beatrice Ott Hodge, John B. Grissel, Louise Polglase, Richard O. Parsons, Louis Sbaffi, David A. Daniels, Carrie Irene Piugree, Joshua N. Conover, Edna A. Martine, Phillip G. Scadden, Horace A. Curnow, Nick Sandow, Walter Butz, DeWitt Lotz, Charity Allen, Donald R. Paine, Richard J. Bennetts, Allen S. Huson.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES ARE ALL REELECTED

More votes than for many years were cast at the school trustees election held at the grammar school on Saturday. The candidates for re-election again received the high votes. The result follows. Scadden, 133, Rector, 132, Armstrong, 98, Draper, 94.

CIVIC CLUB TO ELECT OFFICERS TONIGHT

The Nevada City Woman's Civic Club will hold its regular meeting this evening at eight o'clock at the Brand Studio. Election of officers will be held at tonight's meeting and all members are urged to attend. The treasurer's report will be given and other club matters will be taken care of. Final plans for the public card party to be given by the club on Wednesday night will be made.

DR. J. B. LILLARD WILL BE ROTARY SPEAKER THURS.

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Dr. J. B. Lillard, president of Sacramento Junior College will be guest speaker at the Rotary club meeting next Thursday noon at luncheon in the National Hotel. Dr. Lillard will speak on the "Origin of Our Superstitions." Although president of one of California's foremost educational institutions, with a student enrollment of over 2,000, Dr. Lillard has a wide interest in many subjects not strictly academid. Among other things he has accumulated one of the largest collections of artifacts California and Southwestern aborigenes on the Pacific Coast. This collection has been donated to the Sacramento Junior College and the students have recently placed at the door of this museum a tablet honoring their president for the gift of this splendid collection of Indian pottery, weapons, ornaments and utensils. It was his study of India folk lore that finally led Dr. Lillard into deeper and more interesting researches concerning the origin of superstitutions which still persist despite the ultra modern and scientific conditions which prevail today in civilized countries.

MRS. ODGERS CELEBRATES 85TH BIRTHDAY SUNDAY

The 85th birthday of Mrs. S. A. Odgers was celebrated Sunday at the Oak Park club house in Sacramento by a family reunion. These happy gatherings are yearly events looked forward to eagerly. Mrs. Odgers, a former Nevada City resident, was 85 years of age last Wednesday but family members celebrate the Sunday nearest to the date.

The delicious big birthday cake was cut by Mrs. Odgers at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon and a delightful time was enjoyed in visiting. She received many lovely gifts.

Family members and friends at the birthday table were Mrs. S. A. Odgers of Sacramento; Mrs. Annie Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lewis wall, Miss Edith Rosewall, Joy Rodiwall, Miss dith Rosewall, Joy Rodifer Dice. all of Oakland; Mr and Mrs. J. W. Odgers, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kinsley and son, Jackie, Roseville; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Kruger and children, Charles and Audry, Oroville; Mrs. Leila Harry, Mrs. North, Sacramento; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Odgers and daughter, Amy Ruth and sons, Harry, Jr., and Donald; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Samora, daughter, Vanita Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Bob DeLaMarie, Mrs. Mary German, Marian German Wright and daughter, Ina Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Andrews, children, Clarice and Ronald, Mr. and Mrs. J. McLaughlin and children, Jackie and Barbara, Mrs. Emma Meservey, Miss Mary Meservey, Bill Meservey all of Nevada City.

Among the friends calling during the afternoon were Mrs. Sarah Monk, Harry Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Trevethick, Mr. and Mrs. John Cloyd and family, Lila Kitts, Mrs. Florence Knox, Mrs. Dan Odgers, Miss Doris Dickinson, Harry Dickinson, all of Sacramento and all former Nevada City residents.

HUSBAND ALLEGES HE IS WIFE'S MEAL TICKET

Howard Shebley charges his wife married him for a meal ticket in a divorce suit filed in the superior court last week.

Shebley says his wife, Mary Laurel Shebley, also threatened and attempted to take her own life.

The couple married in Reno on April 15, 1934.

WIFE CHARGES SHE HAD TO SUPPORT HUSBAND

Mrs. Ethel Cole Green filed suit for divorce in the superior court last week against Rubon C. Green, charging he forced her to support him and give him money for his individual expenses.

The couple married in Salt Lake City on December 25, 1934.

Leasors on the gravel portion of the McKenzie mine, west of Nevada City, have started to drive a new tunnel to contact channel. John Craik is handling the property for his aunt, Mrs. McKenzie.

Novel Program Ready For May Day Dance

Carol Coughlan, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce committee which has charge of all arrangements for the chamber's big May Day dance nevt Saturday evening announced today that an interesting and spectacular program has been arranged for the preliminary hour or half hour before the big chamber ball starts rolling. Mrs. Charles Elliott and Mrs. Carl Tobiassen will have charge of the entertainment features of the program.

There will be the Rotary Club's Russian ballet, which is warranted to open the eyes of the most blase. It will demonstrate that not all rugged terpsichorean art is confined to the Don Cossacks.

Mrs. Carl Libbey will be in charge of the chants and choruses of her well trained high school and grammar school students. Probably never before in the city's history has there been such a large group of young people specially trained in song. This is feature of the evening's program that no music lover will willingly miss.

Coughlan states that all indications point to one of the largest crowds of recent months in attendance on this, the first big dance given by the chamber in many years.

ALLEGED DRUNK DRIVER NABBED

Nightwatchman James Williams arrested William Ford Saturday night for reckless driving. A complaint was filed charging him with driving while under the influence of liquor. The case will come up in the local court as soon as Judge Miles Coughlin as court reporter, completes the cases of Bickel vs. Fenton in the superior court. In the Ford case Judge Coughlin is acting during the sickness of Judge W. L. Mobley.

STATE OFFICER GUEST AT A. A. U. W. MEETING

The Nevada county branch of the American Association of University Women held its May meeting at the Brand Studio in Nevada City Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The meeting was opened by Miss Ollie Hoffman, president.

Following the business of the meeting Miss Hoffman presented Mrs. Robert Concannon of Menlo Park, first vice president of the state association. In her talk to the group Mrs. Concannon gave a brief history of the organization which was formed by seventeen university women from eight universities in 1882 and which has grown to a membership of 45,000 members in 700 communities in the United States alone. There are branches of the international association in 36 countris. In California there are 41 branches of the American association.

The founders of the association started it for "practical educational work." Mrs. Concannon told the newly organized local branch, of the purpose, ideals, aim and work of the association of which they have become a member branch. These are expressed briefly in the following quoted by Mrs. Concannon.

"Nationally the association is a spokesman for higher educational standards, wider opportunities for women, and international understanding.

"In the association program, educational work is interpreted broadly with changing emphasis to keep step with changing times. The 1935 biennial convention voted that the development of the program should be guided by the need for maintaining the basic essentials for democracy, equal educational opportunity, freedom of speech, social and economic security, and world peace."

Following Mrs. Concannon's talk the ladies enjoyed a social tea which was planned by a committee under the direction of Mrs. Vivian Billick. The next meeting of the Nevada county branch will be held on Saturday, May 28.

ARMY PLANE LANDS AT N. C. AIRPORT

Wallace Nau, aviator from March Field flew from Visalia to Nevada City Sunday in an army plane landing on Nevada City's airport to spend the day with his mother, Mrs. Esther Alden, who was completely surprised and thrilled to see her son.

Mrs. Betty Martin West postmaster of Nevada City, served a chicken dinner in honor of the young aviator and his mother Sunday.

Young Nau will receive his commission as lieutenant on June first. It is thought this is the first army plane to land on the local airport. He had some difficulty in making a landing, but made a splendid takeoff.

BROTHERS CRASH PHONE POLE, ONE DEAD, ONE HURT

A dreadful accident occured in Grass Valley Saturday night at about ten o'clock when a Dodge pickup in which were two brothers crashed into a P. G. & E. electric pole at Wolf Creek on Empire street, between Auburn and Mill. The impact tore down the 3,000 volt wires, throwing them to the pavement where they sputtered and flared before a shutoff could be made by P. Q. & E. men who hurried to the scene.

Two brothers, Ben Magers age 24, and Arthur Magers, age 21, of Sacramento were the occupants of the car. Ben the elder of the two was found in the drivers compartment with his hand clamped on the door of the car. Sparks were emitting from his fingers and it was necessary to dislodge his hand with prys of wood. He was unconscious when found and never regained consciousness.

Arthur Magers, aged 21 was taken to the Bryant Service station and the ambulance took him from there to the Jones Memorial hospital. Dr. Carl P. Jones and Dr. Walker W. Reed made immediate examination. He bore a deep burn on the wrist of his right arm which indicated that a current of high voltage had passed through his body. The x-ray showed a basal fracture of the skull. He was also cut about the face and head.

Captain Blake of the highway patrol interviewed the younger brother, Arthur, at the Jones Memorial hospital, but he could tell very little of the accident. He stated that he and his brother had driven to Grass Valley to visit friends named Trimendero on Brighton street. He could not remember if the car was traveling up or down Empire street at the time of the accident but indications point to the fact that they were coming down the street.

When asked if they had been drinking he answered that they had drinks at Roseville and Auburn.

Dr. Carl P. Jones communicated with the parents of the young men in Sacramento and they stated they would immediately start for Grass Valley.

Coroner W. R. Jefford took charge of the remains of the deceased.

Sunday night the Dagget Funeral Home of Sacramento called for the body and took it to Sacramento.

The surviving brother, Arthur Magers, is still at the Jones Memorial hospital with cuts about the face and general bruises but is not in a serious condition.

COMMERCE CHAMBER TO MEET TONIGHT

The Chamber of Commerce will meet this evening in its old quarters in Commercial street. This will probably be the last meeting there before it moves into its room in the new city hall. Fred E. Conner, president, declares there are several important matters to be considered tonight and urges all members to attend.

NEVADA CITY REUNION ON JUNE 13

The annual reunion of residents and former residents of Nevada County will take place at the state fair grounds in Sacramento on Sunday, June 13.

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Sit Downers

By CLAYTON RAND

From a distance this sit-downer business looks silly. Some of us in the country can't even comprehend it.

A few years ago men walked the streets in Detroit in rags. Thousands of them sought jobs, stood in line at soup kitchens or sat around on benches in public parks.

Now they sit down on the job they have, and the contagion of it spreads over the country like the jig-saw craze or the influenza.

I wonder what would happen to these workmen if people over the country sat down on the idea of buying any cars?

As far as I am concerned I wish every fellow that sat down on the job got boils. Idleness never cured a country's economic ills and never will.

Killed By a Sentence

They'd not be having budget trouble at Sacramento, or any other trouble to speak of, if all the lawmakers employed the terse and sterling logic with which a committee chairman killed a tax bill in the assembly the other day.

"We don't need new taxes," he said, "so why bother with these tax bills?"

That's all there was to it. The bill, proposing to sneak 50 million dollars out of the taxpayers' purse indirectly, was immediately tabled. It was finished, washed up — killed by a sentence.

And a classic sentence it was. Taxes have one and only one purpose, and that is to raise revenue. There is enough revenue in sight, "so why bother with these tax bills?" The one cardinal principle of taxation, and the public interest, were the only things to be considered here, and the death-dealing sentence took both into account.

Too often, there are other considerations. Too often, on an indirect tax proposal, the lawmaker's first question is, "What group sponsors it? The public won't know it's paying —what group does the tax hit directly? Revenue? Bosh! Which group can muster the most votes?" And then there's the long wrangling through confused complication and tortured deviousness, after which sound principles and the public good may or may not triumph.

Every tax bill at this session can be slapped down with the death-dealing logic of a single sentence. And a sentence could be coined for legislators to use on all othher occasions, now and for all time.

"We're here to do the public bidding," it would say, "so why bother with all these pressure groups?"—Contributed.

San Francisco's graft investigation has turned into an investigation of an investigation. Now if they'll just investigate the investigators who are investigating the investigation, they'll be getting somewhere.

The Coronation

Lord Marley, the British peer now visiting California, advises staying away from the much-ballyhooed and long awaited coronation of King George VI, "because I don't want to see my American friends exploited."

This, from a Britisher, is sheer sacrilege. That all the regal pageantry could be mere window-dressing for tawdry commercialism at the core, that this rite steeped in the tradition of centuries could be just a big show run for profit—why, the very thought is appalling. Appalling—yes, definitely, as most Britishers would say.

Yet the idea will startle few Americans. We're wise to the British way of doing the practical thing under the guise of "tradition" and "form" and other ancient abracadabra. And besides, what's wrong with a show for profit? In America we hold world fairs and frankly admit that the underlying purpose is commercial—with a lot of fun on the side.

Actually, however, profit taking is only a close second among the practical reosans for the lavish pomp and ceremony of the coronation. First and above all is a reason only indirectly commercial, that of drammatizing royalty and keeping the crown a symbol of the unity of all peoples of the British Empire. Holding the empire together is vital to the economic survival of England, to her commerce and thus, of course, to her profit-taking.

But Lord Marley's advice won't frighten away many Americans. A little exploiting of those who have enough money to go won't matter much. Americans love a big show, and they go expecting to be fleeced, anwway.

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BEER AND WINE REVENUE HIGHER

SACRAMENTO, April 26.—California wine and beer taxes gained last month according to a report by the state board of equalization.

Income from the tax during March amounted to $178,653.56, an increase of 16.70 per cent over March 1936, and an increase of 64.96 per cent in comparison with the previous month.

The board reported collection of taxes on 8,791,711 gallons of still wine and beer and 93,978 pints of sparkling wine.

"Despite unusually low sales during the first part of the year, the income from the beverage tax amounted to $373,970.63 for the first quarter of 1937," the report reads. "The income from this source for the first quarter of 1936 amounted to $371,967.57.

"It is interesting to know that California beverages continue to gain in popularity as compared with imported products. Of the beer sold in California last month 90.58 per cent was of California manufacture and 95.53 per cent of the wine came from local wineries."

SALES TAX, 1936, IS $81,478,533

SACRAMENTO, April 26. — Actual income to the state from the three per cent sales tax during 1936 amounted to $81,478,533.05 according to a final check made by the state board of equalization.

Complete figures for the last quarter of the calendar year showed an income for the period totaling $22,980,421. or almost a quarter of a million dollars more than had been anticipated by sales tax officials. The income for the year brought the total revenue derived from the esales tax since 1933 up to $223,870,036 it was announced.

The unexpected heavy revenue during the fourth quarter of 1936 represented a continuation of steady gain in sales tax return which started immediately after food stuffs were exempt late in 1935.

Returns for the last quarter of 1936 represented an increase of 21.88 per cent over the same period of the preceding year and a gain of 9.86 per cent over the third quarter of 1936.

PONEMAH COUNCIL

Ponemah Council, Degree of Pocahontas, and Wyoming Tribe of Red Men are making preparations for 50 or more members to attend the district meeting of grand officers in Roseville Saturday evening, May first. Prizes are being offered for largest attendance of members and largest class for adoption, at this meeting at which there will be many grand officers. A bus has been chartered and Ponemah Council has secured a large class of palefaces ready to make the trip.

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GAS TAX FOR FEB. IS $4,296,250

SACRAMENTO, April 26.—A substantial increase in the income from the gasoline tax for March as compared with the previous month was reported today by the state board of equalization.

The total tax for the month amounted to $4,296,250.45 or $852,735.34 more than for February.

While this represents the highest monthly income of the current year the total was 2.44 per cent under the collections for the same month of the previous year.

The board reported collection of the tax on 144,654,896.2 gallons of motor vehicle fuel. The decrease from March, 1936, was attributed principally to a continuation of the rainy weather throughout most of the month.

The March collections brought the total for the first quarter of 1937 up to $11,557,157.91.

SCHOLARLY STUDENTS OF N. C. HONORED AT U. C.

The Seal Bearers of the California Scholarship Federation who are now attending the University of California on the Berkeley campus, were entertained at tea in the Women's Club rooms, Stephens Union, on Monday and Friday. The meeting was to acquaint the older students and factulty members with the younger students and thenr problems. Dr. Franz Schneider and Dr. L. A. Harper who are guiding the Seal Bearers in the university were present. Members of the Honor Student Association assisted Phi Beta Kappa in entertaining at the tea.

Among those who were present were Marion A. Mohr and Margaret E. Wyant, of Nevada City.

NO. 6657
AMENDED SUMMONS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

HERBERT GON, Plaintiff, vs. H. W. ZAGOREN, as Administrator of the Estate of Mary A. Ismert, deceased, EDWARD J. ISMERT, as Administrator of the Estate of Anna Bacon, deceased, A. J. ISMERT, as Administrator of the Estate of Eva Ismert, deceased, ALBERT J. ISMERT, LILLIAN E. MACK, formerly Lillian E. Ismert, EUGENIE E. IRVING, formerly Eugenie E. Ismert, HENRY P. ISMERT, ROSA S. ISMERT, EDWARD J. ISMERT, FRANCES WEYMOUTH, T. A. PIPPY. PHEBE A. PIPPY, AGNES SUTTON, MARY SUTTON, MAGGIE SUTTON, S. N. JOHNSON, as Administrator of the Estate of J. B. Johnson, also known as James B. Johnson, JOHN TINLOY, MRS. JOHN TINLOY, ANNIE TINLOY, F. C. CARPENTER, CHARLES McELVY, FRANK CLEVELAND, W. H. GEORGE, JOHN GEORGE, JAMES R. GEORGE, and FIRST DOE, SECOND DOE, THIRD DOE, FOURTH DOE, FIFTH DOE and SIXTH DOE, and also all other persons claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the amended complaint, adverse to the plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto. Defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, and the complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Nevada.

Vernon Stoll, Esq. Attorney for Plaintiff, Grass Valley, California.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, SEND GREETINGS TO: H. W. ZAGOREN, as Administrator of the Estate of Mary A. Ismert, deceased, EDWARD J. ISMERT, as Administrator of the Estate of Anna Bacon, deceased, A. J. ISMERT, as Administrator of the Estate of Eva Ismert, deceased, ALBERT J. ISMERT, LILLIAN E. MACK, formerly Lillian E. Ismert, EUGENIE E. IRVING, formerly Eugenie E. Ismert, HENRY P. ISMERT, ROSA S. ISMERT, EDWARD J. ISMERT, FRANCES WEYMOUTH, T. A. PIPPY, PHEBE A. PIPPY, AGNES SUTTON, MARY SUTTON, MAGGIE SUTTON, S. N. JOHNSON, as Administrator of the Estate of J. B. Johnson, also known as James B. Johnson, JOHN TINLOY, MRS. JOHN TINLOY, ANNIE TINLOY, F. C. CARPENTER, CHARLES McELVY, FRANK CLEVELAND, W. H. GEORGE, JOHN GEORGE, JAMES R. GEORGE, and FIRST DOE, SECOND DOE, THIRD DOE, FOURTH DOE, FIFTH DOE, and SIXTH DOE, and also all other persons claiming any right, title, estate or interest in the real property described in the amended complaint, adverse to the plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto, DEFENDANTS.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action has been commenced against you in the above-entitled court by the above-entitled plaintiff for the purpose of determining all adverse claims to and clouds upon the title to all that certain real property situate, lying and being in the County of Nevada, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

PARCEL NO. 1. A portion of Section 23, Township 16 North, Range 8 East, M. D. M., described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of the State highway, from which the quarter section corner common to Sec. 23 and 24, T. 16 N., R. 8 E., M. D. M., bears S. 26° 04' E. 731.71 feet distant; thence with true bearings, N. 17° 15' W. 41.97 feet; thence N. 29° 44' W. 4.29 feet; thence N. 17° 26' W. 298.90 feet; thence N. 40° 04' W. 40.78 feet; thence N. 49° 33' W. 17.17 feet; thence N. 65° 41' W. 11.89 feet; thence S. 88° 51' W. 496.06 feet; thence N. 27° 52' E. 620.90 feet; thence S. 57° 19' E. 730.78 feet; thence S. 27° 06' W. 211.94 feet; thence N. 88° 30' E. 14.00 feet; thence S. 25° 00' W. 233.00 feet; thence S. 34° 30' W. 113.00 feet; thence S. 49° 30' E. 16.59 feet to the northerly line of the State highway; thence S. 52° 53' W. 28.47 feet to the place of beginning, subject to a right of way described as follows: BEGINNING at Cor. No. 1, of the above-described Parcel No. 1, thence N. 17° 15' W. 41.97 feet; thence N. 34° 30' E. 115.00 feet; thence N. 25° 00' E. 217.00 feet; thence N. 88° 30' E. 28.00 feet; thence S. 25° 00' W. 233.00 feet; thence S. 34° 30' W. 113.00 feet; thence S. 49° 30' E. 16.59 feet; thence S. 52° 53' W. 28.47 feet to the place of beginning.

PARCEL NO. 2: Beginning at a fence corner, from which the section corner common to Secs. 13, 14, 23 and 24, T. 16 N., R. 8 E., M. D. M., bears N. 22° 38' E. 955.70 feet distant; thence S. 37° 27' E. 562.90 feet to the beginning of a right curve; thence following said curve to a point S. 13° 37' E. 120.96 feet distant, said point being on the Northeast line of the Ah Gin property; thence N. 57° 19' W. 717.23 feet; thence N. 52° 45' E. 292.69 feet to the place of beginning.

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, this 6th day of November. 1936.

R. N. McCORMACK,
Clerk.

Mar. 15, 22, 29, Apr. 5, 12, 19, 26, May 3, 10.

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of Education of the Nevada School District will receive bids for furnishing all labor, material, transportation, and services for the furnishing of equipment for the Nevada City Elementary School building located at Nevada City, California. Bids will be asked for on school desks, miscellaneous classroom equipment, auditorium chairs, stage equipment, and venetian blinds.

Each bid shall be made out on a form to be obtained at the office of Wm. Mooser, Architect, 244 Kearny Street, San Francisco, California, or from E. M. Rector, Chairman Building Committee, Bank of America, Nevada City, California, must be accompanied by a Certified or Cashiers' Check, or bid bond for 5% of the amount of the bid, made payable to the order of P. G. Scadden, Clerk of Board of Education, Nevada City, California; shall be sealed and filed with P. G. Scadden, Clerk of Board of Education, Nevada City, California; on or before Monday May 3, 1937, at 12 noon, o'clock, of that day, and will be opened and publicly read aloud at or about Four P. M. o'clock of that day, in the Elementary School Building, Nevada City, California.

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Social Events

Mrs. Leiter Guest at Grand Officers' Dinner

Mrs. Elizabeth Leiter, district deputy grand matron of the state of California, O. E. S. has just returned from a visit to several chapters in southern California. All grand officers of the state attended a dinner and reception in the French room in hotel Ambassador in Los Angeles Saturday evening. Another dinner and reception was also held in the Elks Temple in that city Friday evening.

Mrs. Leiter attended an Eastern Star meeting in Lodi Thursday evening and with her friend, Mrs. Tindell, motored to southern California. She will make an official visit to Bethany Chapter, in Colfax tomorrow, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Mary German and Miss Alice Cooper will accompany her. E

On Friday evening Mrs. Leiter will visit a chapter in San Jose.

Personal

John Blair, of the Nugget force, in this city, enjoyed a visit from his daughters and their husbands and a nephew Sunday. In the group were Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Osborne, of Courtland; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Dunwoody, Oakland and Ray A. Williams and wife of Roseville. They enjoyed picnicking in Pioneer Park at Nevada City.

James Grimes, mine owner, came up from Oakland during the past week end and is visiting relatives and friends in Nevada City.

Miss Ida Milton and Bert Carpenter of Placerville visited Miss Milton's sister, Mrs. Ed Conley and husband in Nevada City Saturday.

High School Notes

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In order that next year staff members of the Searchlight can have practice, Editor Fred Garrison last week named trial editors for a "Junior-Sohomore-Freshman issue of the Searchlight which will come out Friday. The present staff which consists mostly of seniors will do no work on the issue. The special staff consists of John Muscardini, editor-in-chief; Vella Flindt, assistant editor; Madge Pianezzi, social editor; Bill Elukus, Boys sports; Alice Graham, girls sports; Peggy Bettles, business- exchange manager; Sylvia Moody, organization editor; Jane Bennett and Dorothy Hoff, humor editors and Helen Provine, feature editor. There are also many other positions such as typists and reporters. The edition will be called the Junior issue.

JUNIOR PROM IS SUCCESS

The class of 1938 entertained the N. C. high student body and friends at the annual junior prom, Friday night in the Armory hall.

The hall presented a picturesque sight for spectators. The dancers were dressed in silver and blue, the class colors. The theme of the prom was quite original being "stardust" after the song of the same name. At one end of the hall stars were shown on a background of blue and the letters "38" in silver. The refreshment booth was in the shape of a large star. The theme of the prom was excellently carried out throughout.

Probably the highlight of the evening was the usual grand march which displayed a variety of color and formality much to the appreciation of the spectators. The march was lead by Melvin Clark, class president, and Miss Madge Pianezzi, who was the decoration chairman. They were followed by the other class officers, juniors and student body officers. At the conclusio of the march, the marchers surprised the spectators by forming an N and a C on the floor.

Miss Thelma K. Petersen, class advisor has worked diligently on the prom with her committee members as the decorations and other phases of the affair revealed. Miss Peterson, Melvin Clark, the committee heads and the junior class deserve much credit for the success of their junior prom.

The next social event on the high school calendar is the Dixie Jubilee by the Nevada City high school music department.

H. D. Draper, local assayer, made an inspection of the gravel property of Mrs. Rose Jones located on the Greenhorn Creek last week end. It is stated prospective leasors are quite interested in the property.

Ed Connell, miner of Alleghany, returned to that city today after a short trip in the lower country and an overnight stay at the National hotel in this city.

Elza Kilroy post office clerk who has been seriously ill for several months was able to come to town Saturday to cast his vote in the school trustees election.

BICKEL VS. FENTON

The civil case of Bickel vs. Fenton is being heard in the superior court this afternoon. Judge Raymond McIntosh of Sierra county is acting for Judge Raglan Tuttle who is out of town. Edward Bickel has charged William Fenton with taking material from the Fenton gravel property in the Quaker Hill district. Bickel and others claim to have a lease on the property and to have the power of attorney for the other parties interested. At time of going to press Sheriff C. J. Tobiassen was trying to verify this claim.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Tognarelli returned Sunday evening from an eleven day vacation at Calistoga soda hot springs. Their daughter, Catherine Tognarelli, and Betty Andrews drove there Saturday evening and brought them home.

SMALL FIRE AT AIRPORT

A small forest fire of undetermined origin at Nevada City's airport north of town Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock called out the city firemen and pumper. They had the blaze under control before it had gained any headway into the forest. The carpet of pine needles are dry enough to cause a fire to spread very rapidly.

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